

STATE OF MINNESOTA

IN DISTRICT COURT

**EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT**

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**ADMINISTRATIVE POLICY 7**

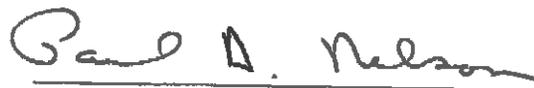
**Certificate of Representation in Criminal Matters**

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Rule 703 of the General Rules of Practice provides that a lawyer in a criminal case may be required to file a Certificate of Representation "in such form and substance as a majority of judges in the district specifies."

Pursuant to the rule, the attached Certificate of Representation has been adopted by the judges of the Eighth Judicial District for criminal cases filed in the District. Privately retained criminal defense counsel must file the certificate at the first appearance.

Dated: December 5, 2006



Paul A. Nelson  
Chief Judge  
Eighth Judicial District